ernment of India have also sanctioned 54 additional battalions of BSF in a 5-year period for increased vigilance on Indo-Pakistan and Indo-Bangladesh borders. In the annual talks held in April,'87 between Director General, BSF and Director General, Bangladesh Rifles to discuss various common problems, both the parties have agreed to cooperate with each other in curbing effectively the illegal entry and smuggling on Indo-Bangladesh border. The Government have no reports on any large scale smuggling of gold and arms through the borders.

Implementation of the recommendations of Mishra Commission

1592. SARDAR JAGJIT SINGH AURORA : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) what are the terms of reference of the two panels constituted by Government for the implementation of the recommendations of Justice Ranganath Mishra Commission;

(b) whether these panels have been constituted under the Commission of Inquiry Act;

(c) whether these panels can call for the witness for interrogation and evidence;

(d) whether these panels are empowered to recommend punishment to the guilty; and

(e) by when these panels are likely to start functioning?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI): (a) As in the statement attached. (*See* below).

(b) to (e) The Committee have not been appointed under the Commission of enquiry Act, 1952. The panels have been appointed under the order of the Administrator, Delhi. The Committee of Justice K. Kapur and Miss Kusum Lata Mittal has been authorised by the Administrator, Delhi, to obtain such information, papers or any other assistance from the Delhi Administration including Delhi Police as may be required by it for the purposes of its enquiry. Similarly, the Committee consisting of Justice M. L. Jain and Shri A. K. Banerjee has related thereto and to give such instructions or advice as it deems necessary to the Police and prosecution agency relating to registration, investigation and prosecution of such cases.

The Commttees have already started functioning.

Statement

The terms and reference for the Committee consisting of Justice Dalip K. Kapur and Miss. Kusum Lata Mittal.

(a) Enquire into the delinquencies of individual police officers and men with respect to reported passivity, callousness and indifference shown by them in the matter of controlling the situation and protecting the people within the Union Territory of Delhi and also into the good conduct of individual police officers and men and recommend such action as may be called for;

(b) Any other matter related to the above.

The terms and reference for the Committee consisting of Justice M. L. Jain and A. K. Banerjee.

(a) to examine whether there were cases of omission to register or properly investigate offences committed in Delhi during the period of riots from 31-10-84 to 7-11-1984;

(b) to recommend the registration of cases, where necessary and to monitor the investigation thereof;

(c) to monitor the conduct of the investigation, and the follow up of cases already registered by the police and to suggest steps for effective action including fresh and further investigation, where necessary;

(d) to perform any other function in addition to the above.

Both the Committees have been authorised to look into any papers etc. and also

to obtain assistance from the Delhi Administration for the purpose.

Contracts awarded by STC to M/s. Indian Molasses Company

1593. CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK:
SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA :

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that out of the eleven major ports in the country, at nine major ports a private sector company, M/s. Indian Molasses Company and its associates and/or sister companies are having 97,000 sq. mts. of land out of 1,07,000 sq. mts. totally allotted to private companies for storing molasses and edible oils, etc.;

(b) whether it is also a fact that during the pendency of inquiry regarding alleged malpractices in the export of molasses by the said Company, the State Trading Corporation has awarded new contracts and/or extended the old contracts to the aforesaid Company and/or its sister concerns; and

(c) what are the details of the latest contracts that STC has done/renewed/extended for handling work alongwith the details regarding the terms of contract, renumeration, etc.?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI): (a) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House as soon as it becomes available.

(b) and (c). For imported edible oils, fatty acids and methanol, storage capacity has been hired by STC from M/s. Indian Molasses Company and its sister concerns. STC hires these capacities on a long-term basis after assessing its requirements and the availability of storage capacity. To meet its requirements for short-term, it also hires suitable capacities for a few months. Storage capacity both short term and long term on hire from this Group as on 31-3-1987 was 75,047 MTs. Out of this, contracts for a capacity of 33,603 MTs which were on long-term hire, have expired during the year but the capacity continues to be used by STC. Since a number of long term contracts have expired including those of this Group, as an interim measure STC is using these capacities till new contracts on long-term hiring of capacities are finalised by it on an all India basis.

The contracts for edible oils are at Rs. 7.50 to 13.00 per MT per month of rental plus handling charges and for fatty acids at Rs. 25/- per MT per month of rental plus handling charges. For methanol, the charges including rental are Rs. 50/- per MT per month.

Cases under Import Control Order

1594. SHRI J. P. GOYAL :
SHRI VIRENDRA VERMA :

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) what are the names of the industries in whose cases Government orders issued under clauses 8(1)(G) of the Imports (Control) Order were set aside by High Courts; and

(b) whether Government have filed appeals in the Supreme Court; if so, what are the details thereof and if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI): (a) and (b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Settling of Chinese in Tibet

1595. SHRIMATI KRISHNA KAUL:
SHRI SURESH KALMADI:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received a representation from legisla-